



Newsletter Distribution

Have you received this personally? We stated in the last newsletter that you have the choice, register for internet communications or let us have three normal letter envelopes for the next newsletters. To date only 6 members have given us envelopes so, according to registrations this year, about 90 will not have received a copy. You can put your envelopes in ACFAA post box on Tuesdays at classes or post them to the secretary.

Social Activities - Support Or Lack Of It

Although the individual class and group activities have a sociable aspect we have always tried to integrate the complete membership by events of general interest, such as quizzes, dances, etc. However this autumn the support has been poor. 50 booked for Loto but less than 40 came so in future we shall only accept bookings with money. The Salsa evening was cancelled after only 11 bookings. This is disappointing, especially for the committee who plan the events. So, according to support for the events of spring 2010, we will determine whether we continue to organise these activities so often. If your reason for not coming has been that the activities were not to your taste then make suggestions to David Body or any other member of the Social Sub-Committee.

Photographic Group

A new group for those interested in photography has been formed. If you wish to be involved please contact Trevor Strudwicke by email, charles.strudwicke@orange.fr, or telephone 05 53 88 29 28. Normally communication of activities will be by email.

New Secretary

Regrettably we have to say goodbye to Vicky Slater, who has been secretary to the ACFAA committee for the best part of 3 years and we thank her for all the work she has done for us. Vicky has received the 'call' to return to UK and we wish her well for the future. Fortunately Mary-Ann Boudreau, who had taken on the task of classes administration, has agreed to fill the role. In case you need to communicate with her the email address is maryanneboudreau@hotmail.com, telephone number 05 53 23 26 94 and home address 29 rue du Loup, 24500 EYMET.

Class Dates For 2010

	First Class	Last Class		First Class	Last Class
Winter	5 th January	16 th February	Holiday	9 th March	30 th March
Spring	4 th May	15 th June			

Coming Events

- **December 9th at 7pm – Christmas Cantata** by the chorale in Eymet church. After a change of plan this will be followed by **carols in the bastide**
- Accompanying this newsletter you will find the **Christmas Dinner Menu/Booking**. If you wish to go please return the booking slip as soon as possible
- **AGM 2010** will take place at the Salle Pollyvalante, Eymet, on 13th May
- Information on **spring activities** will be available soon

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President